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C O N F I D E N T I A L BRIDGETOWN 0800

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: EAIR, CU, CA, BB
SUBJ: GOB INVESTIGATION OF CUBANA CRASH

REF: BRIDGETOWN 0638

IN CONVERSATION WITH DCM SIMMS TODAY, MINEXTAFF HENRY
DEB. FORDE DISCLOSED THAT CUBANA CRASH REPORT IS EXPECTED TO
GO BEFORE CABINET THIS WEEK AND TO BE RELEASED TO PUBLIC "SOON".
FORDE SAID CABINET WOULD CONSIDER WHETHER OR NOT TO RELEASE
REPORT IN TOTO OR TO WITHHOLD RELEASE OF SECTIONS "WITH SE-
CURITY IMPLICATIONS." SIMMS ASKED WHETHER OR NOT REPORT
CONTAINED ANY REFERENCE TO AN ALLEGED USG INVOLVEMENT IN CRASH,
TO WHICH FORDE REPLIED THAT SECTIONS POSSIBLY TO BE WITHHELD
INCLUDED STATEMENTS IN SUMMARY OF BOTH CUBAN AND US REPS.
HE ADDED THAT THESE SECTIONS HAD BEEN SIGNED BY
BOTH THE PRESIDENT OF THE COMMISSION OF ENQUIRY, DENYS WILLIAMS,
AND THE OTHER BARBADIAN MEMBER, TED WENT, BUT NOT BY THE
CANADIAN MEMBER, WILLIAM HOWES.
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